

Docket No. 243105US0

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Takaaki IKEGAMI, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/667,410

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FOR: ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC PHOTOCONDUCTOR, ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHY METHOD USING THE SAME, ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS PROCESS CARTRIDGE AND ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC PHOTOCONDUCTOR OUTERMOST SURFACE LAYER COATING SOLUTION



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SIR:
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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2004, please amend the application identified above as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Argument begins on page 14 of this paper.